## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q79258

Yasuo OKAMOTO

Appln. No.: 10/583,040

Group Art Unit: 1793

Confirmation No.: 6750

Examiner: Rebecca Y LEE

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For:

METHOD FOR PRODUCING SHAPED ARTICLE OF ALUMINUM ALLOY, SHAPED

ALUMINUM ALLOY ARTICLE AND PRODUCTION SYSTEM

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 26, 2009 to December 28, 2009 (December 26, 2009 being a Saturday and December 27, 200p being a Sunday.)

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$130.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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